

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1634**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of

Glaucia PARANHOS-BACCALA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1634

Application No.: 10/632,793

Examiner: S. KAPUSHOC

Filed: August 4, 2003

Docket No.: 110048.01

For: ENDOGENOUS NUCLEIC ACID FRAGMENT ASSOCIATED WITH AN  
AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE, LABELING METHOD AND REAGENT

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 19, 2007, Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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